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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RE THE PATENT APPLICATION OF: Bellaiche, L., et al.

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Examiner: Koslow, C.

For: Enhanced Electromechanical Properties in Atomically-Ordered Ferroelectric Alloys

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

- 1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114:
 - a. Amendment.
 - b. Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132 and attached Exhibits D-E.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

on: August 7, 2001

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- c. Information Disclosure Statement, modified Form PTO/SB/08B and copy of citations.
 - 2. Also submitted herewith is a self-addressed, stamped postcard.
 - 3. Small entity status has been claimed in this application.
- 4. <u>RCE Fee</u>. The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) required by 37 CFR 1.114 to be submitted when the RCE is filed is submitted herewith in the amount of \$395.00 for a small entity.
 - 5. No additional fee for claims is required.
- 6. Applicants do not believe that an extension of time is required. However, in the event that an needed extension of time has been overlooked, this conditional petition is made.
- 7. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the following fees to Account No. 23-3263:

RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) and

Extension of Time fee under 37 CFR 1.136 and 37 CFR 1.17.

Please refund any overpayment by check. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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